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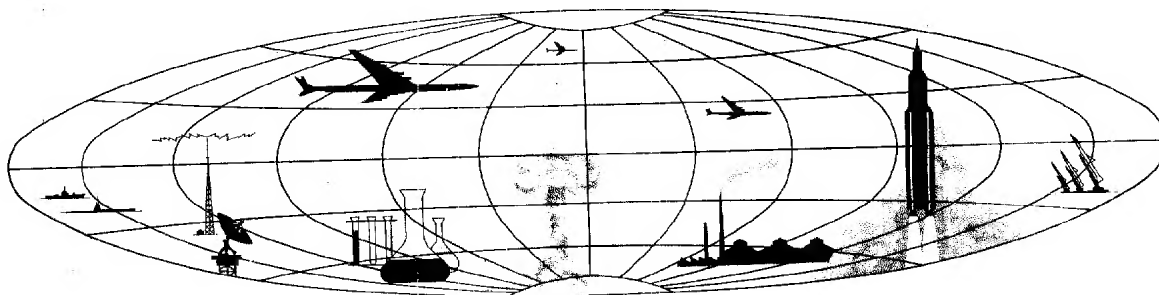
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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3546, DATED 10 APRIL 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2205N 08409W

SIX LAUNCHERS, 3 HOLD REVETMENTS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE REVETMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

LA COLOMA SAM SITE 2218N 08332W

SIX LAUNCHERS (4 CANVAS-COVERED), 3 CANVAS-COVERED HOLD REVETMENTS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

SANCTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE 2147N 07929W

SIX LAUNCHERS, 5 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

JIGUANI SAM SITE 2021N 07620W

SITE CONTAINS 6 LAUNCHERS, 8 PROBABLE MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA.

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MANZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W

SIX REVETTED CANVAS-COVERED LAUNCHERS, 5 POSSIBLE
MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA
OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

PINAR DEL RIO SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2221N 08339W

SITE CONTAINS 26 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS WITH
PRIME-MOVERS.

25X1D

25X1A

MALDONADO SAM SITE 2012N 07528W

SIX REVETTED LAUNCHERS AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA
OBSERVED.
POOR IMAGE QUALITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

CERCA DE PIEDRA, SUSPECT SAM SUPPORT AREA 2004N 07551W

SEE SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA.

25X1D

-AIRFIELDS-

25X1A

LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2004N 07509W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

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25X1A

PRESTON AIRFIELD 2044N 07539W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

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SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD 2206N 08409W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

25X1D 25X1A

BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD 2023N 07638W

AIRCRAFT -- 3 LIAISON-TYPE.

25X1D 25X1A

TRINIDAD AIRFIELD 2147N 07959W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1D 25X1A

-PORTS-

BARACOA PORT 2021N 07430W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D 25X1A

CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

VESSELS -- 3 PT, ONE PF, AND ONE PC.

NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D 25X1A

MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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MOA PORT 2039N 07454W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

CASILDA PORT 2145N 07959W

VESSELS -- ONE PROBABLE TANKER VISIBLE.

25X1D

25X1A

JUCARO PORT 2137N 07851W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER VISIBLE IN CLOUD-FREE AREA.

25X1D

25X1A

SANTA LUCIA PORT 2240N 08358W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

SURGIDERO DE BATABANO PORT 2241N 08218W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

LA COLOMA PORT 2214N 08334W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

GUANTANAMO AREA 1 2005N 07523W

NO MILITARY ACTIVITY VISIBLE.

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HEAVY HAZE AND OBLIQUITY LIMIT INTERPRETATION.

25X1D



25X1A

MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2017N 07706W



APPROXIMATELY 30 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1D



25X1A

PINAR DEL RIO, MILITARY CAMP 2223N 08342W



CAMP CONTAINS 64 VEHICLES.

25X1D



25X1A

SAN GERMAN AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2029N 07559W



SEE ALTO CEDRO, ARTILLERY TRAINING AREA.

25X1D



25X1A

ALTO CEDRO, ARTILLERY TRAINING AREA 2029N 07600W

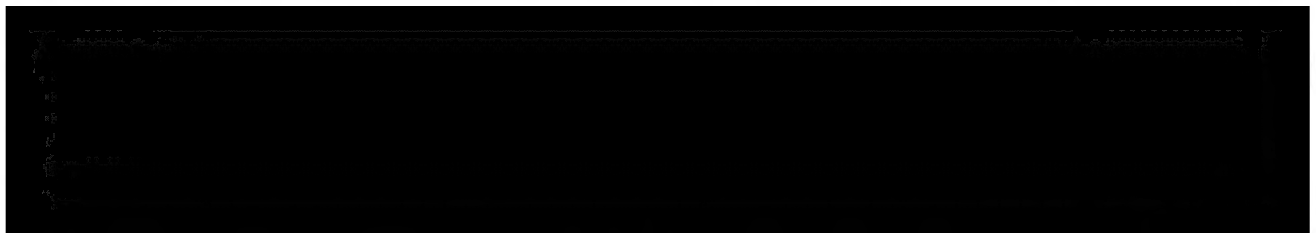


AT LEAST 75 VEHICLES AND 4 FA PIECES OBSERVED.
HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D



25X1B



MESTANZA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE 2228N 08347W



NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
NO VEHICLES OBSERVED.

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25X1D



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-MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITY-

25X1A

MAYARI ARRIBA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2029N 07530W

APPROXIMATELY 60 VEHICLES, 28 PROBABLE CANVAS-COVERED
CRUISE-MISSILE CRATES, AND 10 CANVAS-COVERED
VEHICLES/PIECES OF EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1B

-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE
LAST COVERAGE --

25X1A

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD	2209N 08025W
PINAR DEL RIO AIRFIELD	2225N 08341W
PLAYA YATERITAS LANDING BEACH	1958N 07457W
NICARO LANDING BEACH	2042N 07533W
LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION	2208N 08004W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT
NOT INTERPRETED --

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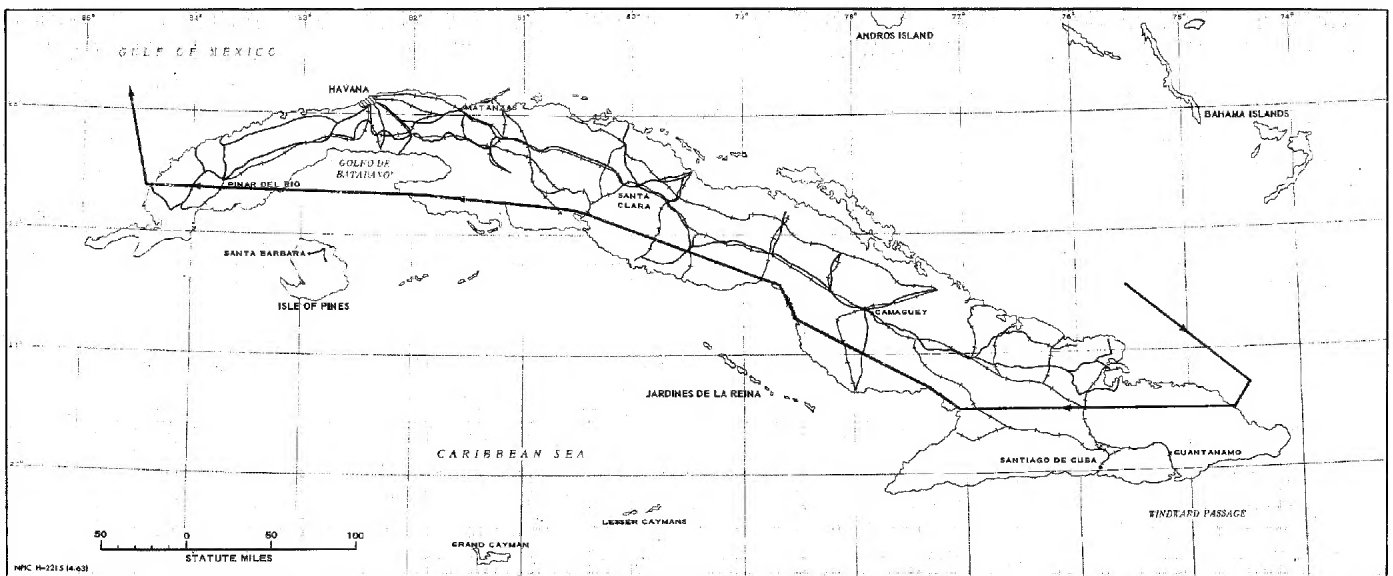
SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 1	2240N 08317W
SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 3	2242N 08308W
SAN CRISTOBAL MRBM SITE 4	2246N 08258W
SANTA LUCIA SAM SITE	2241N 08355W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE	1959N 07550W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2003N 07553W
DELEITE SAM SITE	2259N 08045W
DELEITE ALTERNATE SAM SITE	2301N 08044W
CAMAGUEY AIRFIELD SAM SITE	2122N 07750W
HOLGUIN SAM SITE	2052N 07627W
CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD	2125N 07751W
HOLGUIN AIRFIELD	2048N 07618W
ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD	1958N 07550W
SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT	2001N 07550W
LA ISABELA PORT	2256N 08001W
ARTEMISA, MILITARY CAMP	2251N 08248W
HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2053N 07614W
REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2227N 07934W
CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY CAMP 1	2121N 07750W
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2258N 08220W
TORRENS, MILITARY COMPLEX	2259N 08228W
CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2126N 07753W
EL CRISTO, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2007N 07546W
LOMAS DE CRISTO, MILITARY AREA	2006N 07546W
GUANABACOA, MILITARY AREA	2307N 08215W
SIBONEY LANDING BEACH	1957N 07542W
MAR VERDE LANDING BEACH	1957N 07557W

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